Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 22 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Tuesday 23 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Monday 22 Feb 2021 at 02:17

Confidence: High for a dry and bright day Monday and for becoming wet and windy into Tuesday. Lower confidence for events Wednesday, but higher confidence for a better day Thursday and Friday.

Headline for Monday 22 Feb 2021: A rather chilly start but any early low cloud will soon clear, then a dry and mostly sunny day, but south or southwest winds strengthening later.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 22 Feb 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

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Weather: Any low cloud will soon lift and disperse in morning then a dry and sunny day. Clear spells in evening though high cloud will increase.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 90% or more.

Visibility: Perhaps patchy cloud at first in the morning between 400 and 600m, otherwise cloud above the tops with good visibility at all levels

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	19/26 SW	20/29 SW	17/22 SW	20/28 S	28/41 S	38/55 S	46/67 S
300	4/10 SW	5/14 SW	10/16 SW	13/21 S	14/28 S	21/38 S	27/47 S
Valley	2/7 SW	3/11 S	8/15 S	11/21 S	11/24 S	18/36 S	23/45 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	2/-4	2/-4	3/-2	4/-2	3/-3	3/-5	3/-5
300	2/0	3/1	6/3	7/3	5/1	5/-0	6/-0
Valley	1/-0	4/2	7/5	8/5	6/3	6/2	7/2
Freezing Level*	700m	700m	800m	1000m	1000m	900m	1100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Quite mild and pleasant in the sunshine on lower slopes, but windier and cooler at height with some chill.

Forecast for Tuesday 23 Feb 2021

Weather: Cloud thickening overnight to bring outbreaks of rain, with this heavy and persistent by the end of the night and becoming very windy too. A dull, wet start but rain may turn light and patchy for a time in morning, before further heavy and prolonged rain pushes up from the south in the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Southerly, turning southwest for a time, 40-55mph, with gusts as high as 75 mph at height bringing mobility issues and risk of being blown over.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 20%

Visibility: Generally poor or very poor at height with areas cloud above 500-600m and poor at times beneath cloud in rain.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6C rising to plus 11 or 12C
At 700m: Plus 4 to 6C
Freezing level: Above the tops

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